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FOY: DATA STORAGE CARD HAVING A NON-MAGNETIC SUBSTRATE AND DATA SURFACE REGION AND METHOD FOR USING SAME

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- [X] TEN (10) sheet(s) of informal drawing(s).
- [X] An Assignment of the invention to <u>ULTRACARD</u>, INC., a Nevada corporation
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